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TWO SUSPECTS HELD FOR VA.

Man Held up Scratches Bandits' Car With Pistol

FOILS ROBBERS

With Clue of Marked Car Police of Washington Make Arrest—Other Arrests Are Expected.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 9.—Held up by armed auto bandits, whom they encountered early Wednesday morning on the Alexandria pike, about half a mile south of the Highway bridge, Emmett C. Davison, of 5 U street northwest, and his two sons, Preston and Clarence, out gamed the bandits by themselves drawing guns and threatening to make it a "man for a man" if any one started shooting.

Seeing that tehy had run into a veritable hornets' nest the bandits lowered their guns, piled into a big touring car and sped away toward Washington. Before the car left, however, Mr. Davison secured the numbers on their tags, and with the muzzle of his gun made a long scratch across the back of the car.

At detective headquarters Wednesday morning, Davison told the story, to Detective Sergeants Scrivener, Kelly and Allgood. He gave them the numbers he had gotten from the touring car. The detectives were also told of the scratch.

Acting on the descriptions given by Davison, the detectives arrested Richard Storti, 22 years old, of 817 Fourth street, northwest, and Gilbert A. Hurley, 22 years old, of Atlantic City. Mr. Davison and his police say, as having been members of the gang.

An automobile belonging to Storti was seized by the police. The car, it is alleged, carried the numbers which Davison claimed were on the bandit car, and there was also a long scratch across the back of it. According to the police, caps, automatic pistols and other paraphernalia were seized by the detectives when the car was searched.

Police assert that Storti went to police headquarters at 4 o'clock Wednesday morning and reported his car stolen. He told the police that it had been stolen since 10 o'clock Tuesday night and that he had not reported the theft earlier because he had been looking for it himself. Storti found his car on N street between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets north west later on during the day.

It is alleged by police that Storti, fearing that Davison had taken his numbers, reported the car stolen, thus making it appear that automobile thieves had been the ones who attempted the hold up. Storti and Hurley will be taken to Virginia for a hearing. The police claim to know who the others in the alleged hold up car were, and their arrest is expected.

URGE HEATING PLANT

Central Plant Needed for City Hall Building

The need of a central heating plant for the city hall building is again being urged by city officials and others. Those advocating the installation of the plant think now would be a good time to have the plant installed. Next November thousands of visitors will be in Washington from the disarmament conference and a vast majority will come to Alexandria to view the points of historic interest. Practically all will go into the city hall to visit Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons of which George Washington was first master. It is contended that the old stoves now used in this building will be a bad advertisement for the city and hope is expressed by those urging the installation of the plant that city council soon will take some action in this matter.

It is pointed out that a plant could be installed to take care of not only the heating of the city hall but also the corporation court, clerk's office and police headquarters and it is argued that the cost of heating would be far less than it now costs with big stoves for each room.

NAVY YARD WAGE CUT DEPLORED BY EMPLOYES' CHIEF

Washington, D. C., Sept. 9.—Indignant over the navy and wage cut, decreasing the salaries of 68,000 employes from 10 to 20 per cent, effective September 15, Luther C. Steward, president of the National Federation of Federal Employes, declared in a statement last night that "the entire report of the departmental Wage Board of Reprove bristles with arguments to prove the injustice of lowering old wage standards."

Speaking of the Wage Board of Review, Steward said that members of the board seem to have been governed by a false interpretation of the law, which provides that wage rates in navy yards shall conform as nearly as is consistent with the public interest with those of private establishments.

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING LAST NIGHT

Successful Plans Under Way For Ship Ahoy

At a large and enthusiastic meeting held last night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, Mrs. Charles F. Holden was appointed talent manager for "Ship Ahoy," the musical extravaganza which will be shown in this city October 6. Mrs. Kenneth W. Ogden and Mrs. Lida M. McLaughlin, will assist Mrs. Holden in this important work.

The John B. Rogers Producing Company will have their director behind the scenes on September 19th, on which date the cast will knuckle down to make "Ship Ahoy," the best theatrical production ever shown in this city.

PLAN ENTERTAINMENT

Royal Arcanum To Give Affair Tuesday Night

A complimentary entertainment will be given next Tuesday night in the Young Peoples' Building under the auspices of Alexandria Council, No. 627, Royal Arcanum. The affair will be in honor of the grand council officers. A program of music and song has been prepared by the committee. The public is invited to attend this meeting.

1,000 GUESTS AT WEDDING

Bellamy, Ala., Sept. 9.—Alabame is talking today about a most unusual wedding. The minister selected was in an airplane, which crashed into a tree; a siren blast at a lumber plant announced the arrival of the wedding guests sat at a table in a frame church for the ceremony and the table was so long that those at one end could not hear speakers at the other. Those who didn't dance saw motion pictures.

Miss Kathryn Allison, daughter of the president of the Allison Lumber Co., was the bride, and Allen Grubbs of Eutaw was the bridegroom.

The Rev. Henry M. Edwards, of Birmingham, started to fly to the ceremony, but after the accident was unable to reach Bellamy in time. Frank Willis Barnett representing the Birmingham Age Herald, is an ordained minister, so he performed the ceremony.

It all happened last night.

Prohibition Is Blamed For Scarcity Of Bodies

Toronto, Sept. 9.—Prohibition was blamed for the scarcity of bodies furnished to medical colleges for dissecting purposes by Dr. J. B. McCurrich, professor of anatomy at the University of Toronto, in an address yesterday before the Canadian Embalmers' Association.

Since prohibition became effective Dr. McCurrich declared, men belonging to the class that formerly died destitute through indulgence in liquor were now leaving money enough to give them a regular burial and colleges rarely obtained any bodies from that source.

HYATTSVILLE $50,000 ISSUE OF SCHOOL BONDS IS SOLD

Hyattsville, Md., Sept. 9.—Sale is announced by the commissioners of Prince Georges County of $50,000 of bonds, proceeds of which are to be used for the construction of a new eight-room elementary school at Franklin and Olive streets, here. The buyer was the First National Bank of Southern Maryland which bid about 97 1-2.

TOWNSMEN BUILD TABERNACLE IN DAY

Danville, Sept. 9.—How the people of Leaksville, N. C., built a wooden Tabernacle seating 1,500 people in one day was related here yesterday.

On Labor Day a tent reared for a revival by Dr. Lincoln O'Connell was destroyed by storm. Within an hour prominent men of the town gathered, drew up plans and proposed to build an enduring structure early next morning.

The tent debris was cleared and every contractor sent truck loads of lumber and material while the townspeople turned to and built the Tabernacle. At 7 o'clock that evening it was finished and the first meeting was held in it.

$10 FINE FOR LOW NECK

Zion, Ill., Sept. 9.—Mrs. Elizabeth Madden who was arrested recently for violating the Zion dress ordinance, was found guilty by a jury today and fined $10 and costs.

Mrs. Madden was charged with wearing a waist that was six inches below the collarbone. She denied that the dress was immodest or extreme.

"A few more fig leaves are needed," said Theodore Forby, city attorney. "The time has come when we must say to women, thus far you shall go and no further."

STATE NEWS

Luray—In order to obtain equipment for moonshining, buildings in this county are being robbed of hollow lightning rods, which are converted into worms. E. E. Brumback, a farmer of Marksville district, recently had lightning rods placed on one of his barns located about a mile from his home in the foothills of the Blue Ridge and next morning the rods had been removed. This is getting to be a frequent occurrence.

Petersburg,—The city of Petersburg is calculating the progress made during the first year of the new council-manager form of government which was inaugurated the first of last September, when the new council of five took office under the leadership of Mayor Samuel W. Zimmer, and which became effective too weeks later when the city manager Louis Brownlow arrived and assumed his duties. The 12 months have witnessed an almost complete reorganization of the government, although with two or three minor exceptions there has been no change in the personnel. When Mr. Brownlow arrived from Washington, where he had been for six years a commissioner of the District of Columbia, he was greeted by a policeman in regulation uniform varied as to regularity by a derby hat and as to color scheme by tan shoes. That was the measure of efficiency—no standards, no rules, little leadership.

Richmond—Announcement of General K. M. Zandt that the reunion of the United Confederate Veterans is to be held this year at Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 25-27 will, it is believed, put an end to an agitation for making a city appropriation for entertaining the veterans here this fall. It is regarded as certain, however, that the United Confederate Veterans will be invited to Richmond for the reunion of 1922, and it is expected that as soon as this invitation is accepted by the Chattanooga meeting, steps will be taken to form an organization and map out plans for the entertainment and care of the visitors. Great reunions have been held here in 1896, 1907 and 1915, and each one took nearly a year to make preparation for housing the thousands of visitors, entertaining the veterans, mapping out the parade and perfecting every detail of an elaborate program The last great reunion was held in Atlanta two years ago, when there were 200,000 visitors besides veterans.

Luray,—The poet who sang of "dark, unfathomed caves" might feel impelled to alter the line should his shade ever wander through the Endless Caverns of Virginia. He might let "unfathomed" stand, for there are chasms and passages that the plummet has never sounded and that the foot of man has never trod. But "dark could never describe these "entres vast." More than thirty of the huge chambers and narrow corridors are flooded with the soft gleam of more than five hundred electric lights. Thousands of stalactites and stalagmites reflect from their myriad facets multicolored gleams from vleverly concealed bulbs. The beauty of the caverns has been enhanced, multiplied many fold, by the introduction of a

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RED DEER TO INITIATE

Fifty Go To Washington Tonight And Put Work On Class of 300

Fifty members of Alexandria Lodge No. 1, Royal Order of Red Deer, tonight will leave at 7 o'clock for Washington for the purpose of organizing a lodge of the Royal Order of Red Deer. A class of 300 will be initiated in Washington which will be the first lodge of its character organized in that city. The exercises will take place in the Knights of Pythias Hall, 1012 Ninth street, northwest. The Alexandria delegation will leave on the blue bus line.

August Immigrants Get September Chill

New York, Sept. 9.—Authority of the Department of Immigration to deport immigrants in excess of monthly quotas for their nationalities was upheld yesterday by Judge Mack in Federal District Court, when he dismissed a writ of habeas corpus obtained for a Greek immigrant ordered deported because he had arrived here after the August quota for Greece had been filled. This decision affects scores of other immigrants deportation Attorneys for the Greeks contended their client should be allowed to land as part of the September quota.

BACK FROM CONVOCATION

Rev. P. F. Hall, of St. Paul's Church, has returned from the meeting of the Piedmont Convocation at Culpeper, Va., and will hold an open air vesper service at the chapel of the Good Shepherd, Fairfax and Franklin streets, tonight at 7:30 p. m. W. Hall will give an illustrated address on the 23 Psalm and Mr. Wallace, of the Y. M. C. A., will show some interesting reels.

U. S. TO HAVE 4 DELEGATES

Root and Underwood Probable Colleagues of Hughes and Lodge

HARDING'S PLAN

Holland and Belgium to be Asked to Take Part in Conference—Personnel of Delegates

Washington, Sept. 9.—President Harding contemplates limiting to four members the American delegation in the forthcoming international conference on the limitation of armament and the Pacific and Far Eastern questions.

The delegation, according to the prevailing belief here last night, probably will consist of the following members:

Charles Evans Hughes, Secretary of State, Republican.

Henry Cabot Lodge, Senator from Massachusetts and Chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, Republican.

Elihu Root, formerly Secretary of State and later Senator from New York, Republican.

Oscar W. Underwood, Senator from Alabama, Democrat.

The selection of Secretary Hughes and Senator Lodge already has been announced by the President.

Mr. Root called at the White House yesterday and was closeted with the President for hour or more. He said later that he discussed with Secretary Hughes means by which the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace might assist and co-operate with the Armament Conference. Mr. Root is president of the Carnegie organization, whose offer of assistance, both of personnel and information, in connection with the conference was accepted by Secretary Hughes several weeks ago.

Although President Harding has had several Democrats under consideration, including Senators Hitchcock, of Nebraska, and Pomerene, of Ohio; John W. Davis and John Bassett Moore, present indications point to the selection of Mr. Underwood.

The plans of the President for the conference are partly disclosed in a letter he wrote Congressman Jeffers, of Alabama, last Friday. Mr. Jeffers, who is a Democrat and a former soldier of the World War, wrote the President urging the inclusion of an ex-service man in the American delegation.

Mr. Harding replied that it would not be feasible to name an ex-service man for the main delegation, which he contemplates limiting to four members. He explained the considerations guiding him in the choice of members, among whom he aims to include "outstanding representation of the present minority in Congress."

For secretary-general of the conference George Wharton Pepper, of Philadelphia, is said to be slated.

Holland and Belgium will be asked to participate the conference so far as the discussion relates to their interests, if the other powers already invited are willing. These two states have asked representation and Secretary Hughes has inquired whether Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan have any objections.

It also became known from official sources that the preliminary conference which is still being discussed in London has not been approved by the United States and will not be. The position of this Government upon that question was clearly stated several weeks ago and has not been changed.

Certain interests in London, however, continue to press for a preliminary conference, to be held in that city. This is indicated in yesterday's press dispatches, one of which stated that the United States had at last consented to such a proceeding. This is officially denied.

This denial, however, is not to be taken to mean that the American Ambassador to Great Britain is not permitted to discuss with officials of the British Government any phase of the Washington Conference. On the contrary, such discussions, it is stated today are going on all the time, but they are not in the nature of a preliminary conference.

DISABLED VETERANS IN NEED

Federal Bureau Reports Thousands In Distress

Washington, Sept. 9.—Operations of "clean-up" squads, under direction of the Federal Veterans' Bureau, indicate that there are thousands of disabled former service men in need of government assistance, says a statement issued yesterday by the bureau.

More than 10,000 cases to date have been completed by the squads and sent to the bureau, the statement says, adding that when the squads begin operating in all of the 14 districts into which the country has been divided cases will be reported to the bureau at the rate of 2,00 a day.

TO ATTEND I. O. O. F.

Sovereign Grand Lodge To Gather In Toronto 19-23

The Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows' will hold its annual session in Toronto, Canada, September 19th to 23rd.

A special train for Odd Fellows and their friends over the B. and O. Lehigh Valley, Reading and Grand Trunk route, made up of steel coaches, parlor, dining and observation cars will leave the Union Station in Washington at 7:30 a. m., on Friday, September 16, due to arrive in Toronto the same date at midnight.

Round trip tickets, $32.33, including war tax with stop over privilege at Niagara Falls and other points. A number of Odd Fellows from this section of the state will take this special. A part of the delegates from this city will leave via the Pennsylvania Railroad on Friday night the 16th.

Predicts Rays of Sun Will be Used For Energy

New York, Sept. 9.—The next great achievement of science will be utilization of the sun's rays to provide light heat and power, according to Dr. Arthur D. Little, Boston, in an address at the International Convertion of Chemists. According to Dr. Little, the sun alone is worthy of scientific investigation as a source of energy. He rejected wind, waves and tides.

Attacking the claim that labor is the great producer of energy. Dr. Little asserted that a few men with brains could apply scientific principles to accomplish what mere muscle would not do.

"Hydraulic devices," he said, "enable one man to operate the locks of the Panama Canal, and the desert of Sahara, with its 6,000,000 square kilometers of area, receive daily solar energy equivalent to that of 6,000,000,000 tons of coal. The world awaits the genius who will convert radiant energy into electric current."

Trace Epidemic of Typhoid Fever to Chicken Salad

Trenton, N. J., Sept. 9.—An epidemic involving 185 cases of typhoid fever in virulent form in Burlington and Ocean counties resulted from the serving of chicken salad at a harvest home supper in Jacobstown several weeks ago, according to a statement made public yesterday by the State Department of health.

The supper to which the original infection was traced was served to more than 400 persons, typhoid cases resulting in 116 homes located in 23 different municipalities.

"Cases are known to have developed in 30 dairies producing market milk located in Burlington and Ocean counties," the statement continued. "Representatives of the State health department have visited these dairies and instituted precautionary measures against the further spread of the disease, either by stopping the sale of the milk or by making arrangements to have the milk drawn and handled by persons who have had no contact with the household in which the disease exists."

No record of the fatalities resulting from the epidemic was shown in the report.

East Side Most Healthful

New York, Sept. 9.—New York city's most healthful district is neither in Fifth avenue, Riverside Park, Gramercy Park nor any of the other select residential quarters, but in the heart of the Ghetto, with its swarming thousands. The Board of Health proved it with statistics today.

PRIVATE CAR LIQUOR HUNT COSTLY TO STATE

Miami, Fla., Sept. 9.—Under an alternative writ of mandamus issued today by Circuit Judge Branning, the county must pay almost $1000 demurrage charges claimed by the railroad against the private car of Harry St. Francis Black, New York millionaire, seized here last March when intoxicating liquors were found on board.

Black was given several hearings in county courts before a Federal Commissioner but was cleared in each case.

GOUCHER HIKERS REACH PACIFIC IN ROUND WORLD WALK

Portland, Oregon, Sept. 9.—Miss Emma C. Tucker, formerly assistant professor of English literature at Goucher College, Baltimore, and Miss Myrtle King, daughter of Will R. King former Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Oregon, arrived in Portland today and reported they had walked here from Washington, D. C. They left Washington May 9.

POLICE COURT

In the police court today, Justice W. S. Snow presiding, cases disposed of follow:: Man arrested by Policeman Magner, violating speed law, forfeited $10; man arrested by Policeman Magner, violating the traffic law, forfeited $5 collateral; a man arrested by Policemen Magner and Nowland for disorderly conduct, forfeited $10.

ERIN MAY ACCEPT CALL

Peace Parley Yields All De Valera Asked Save Right to Secede

LONDON CONFIDENT

Note Pleases Sinn Fein—Favorable Outcome is Expected by British Premier—Resumes Rest

Inverness, Sept. 9.—The British Cabinet's reply to Eamonn de Valera's last note, which was made public yesterday afternoon, brings the Irish negotiations to a point where the Irish either must accept the proposed conference or decide for war.

It accepts the principle of government by the consent of the governed, on which Mr. de Valera has insisted, with the reservation that there must be no separation from the British Empire, and it invites the Irish to come to a conference at Inverness September 20, at which a practical application of this principle to Anglo-Irish relations can be worked out.

Any admission of the right to secession, the British Cabinet says would be a denial of the principle on which all the democratic governments of the world are based today and would mean a return to tribalism.

Robert Barton, the Irish courier, placed the answer in the hands of Mr. de Valera last night. The Dail Eireann Caibnet meets tomorrow in Dublin to consider the reply.

In the meantime the British are confident of a favorable reply and they are making arrangements for a conference at Inverness, where the provosts have agreed to place the town hall at the disposal of the conferees. Accommodations at the leading hotels also have been reserved, provisionally, for Ministers, secretaries, typists, etc., who will be required.

The selection of Inverness, the capital of Gaelic Scotland, is regarded as a tribute to Irish psychology. Public opinion in the Highlands is distinctly favorable to the Irish claims because of the relationship in race, language and agricultural problems. The Highland farmers, who make up the great bulk of the population, have the same problem in that a great deal of land is used for game preserves and sheep raising instead of cultivation.

Prime Minister Lloyd George left Brahan Castle yesterday, motoring to

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AUTO DESTROYED

Machine The Property Of H. B. Davies, Jr., of Snowden

Defective ignition is believed to have been responsible for a fire which yesterday afternoon almost completely destroyeds a new Olds eight automobile, the property of H. B. Davies, Jr., of Snowden, Fairfax county. The fire occurred while he was driving on the Fort Hunt road between Arcturus and Snowden. Burns to his hands and shoulders were sustained by Mr. Davies. Mr. Davies used soft earth in an effort to quench the flames and succeeded in checking the flames before they reached the gas tank.

JOY AND JUMP STEADY

Colored Man Hugs Pedestrians After Getting on "Load"

Jump steady being sold in this neck of the woods is causing its victims to do all sorts of pranks. A colored man last night got entirely too much of the liquid aboard and it put him in a very happy frame of mind. His one idea was to hug every person whom he met on King street. Policeman Cline decided he would be best in a steel cage and this morning when the effect of the corn liquor had died down, the prisoner entered a plea of guilty and was assessed $5.

CENTREVILLE BANKER SHOOTS SELF IN HEAD

Centreville, Md., Sept. 9.—William L. Holton, 61 years old, teller of the Centreville National Bank, shot himself in the head at the bank yesterday afternoon. He is now at the Easton Hospital, where it is said that he will die.

No reason has been assigned for Mr. Holton's act. He was not involved in any way at the bank nor, so far as is known, was he in poor health. He had lost no time at the bank recently.

Going into a corridor of the bank, Mr. Holton locked the door. A moment later other persons in the bank heard a shot and tried to get into the corridor. The locked door was broken and Mr. Holton found with a bullet wound in his head and a pistol at his side. He was attended by Drs. H. F. McPherson and J. M. Corkran, who had him rushed to the Easton Hospital.

Mr. Holton had been connected with the bank for 40 years.

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

Washington, Sept. 9.—When former Secretary of State and former Senator Elihu Root, of New York, conferred with President Harding and Secretary of State Hughes he was held up by the newspaper men attached to the White House and State Department and asked concerning his visit.

"Can you say what was the subject of your conversation?" he was asked.

"We talked about cabbages and kings," he replied.

"Will you be a member of the American delegation to the conference on limitation of armaments?" was the next question asked Root.

"Not that I know of." he replied.

"Were you asked to become a member?"

"No."

"Did you talk to the President about the arms conference?" insisted Mr. Root's questioner.

There was no direct reply to this question, and that is all the information the newspaper men got out of the former Secretary.

Hands Off Bolivia-Chile Tangle

The Gazette correspondent learns that the United States government is taking no part whatever in the controversy between the governmens of Bolivia and Chile before the League of Nations at Geneva. Furthermore, in spite of denials of reports from Geneva it may be said that this government has not yet expressed itself in any way in regard to the desirability of having the Chile-Bolivia dispute go before the League of Nations.

This government, it is learned, has never told the Bolivian government that it would not regard the intervention of the league in the dispute as interfering with the application of the Monroe Doctrine. Sometime ago. Bolivia sought to obtain the views of the United States on this subject, but this government expressed no opinion whatever.

No Third Treaty.

The United States government, so far as can be learned, sees no necessity for a third treaty or agreement between United States and the Allies to wind up the war with Germany.

Reports from Paris that the French officials would like a treaty with the United States recognizing annexation of Alsace-Lorraine and other political clauses of the Treaty of Versailles, such as cession of Slosvig to Denmark and Posen to Poland are received with interest, but without indication that this government will act in the manner desired by the French. The reason for the lack of willingness of this government to write a treaty with the Allies on this score is contained in the fact that this government does not desire to be mixed in any way in matters that are purely European.

Agricultural Loans Agencies

The War Finance Corporation announces that it has made arrangements for the administration of the Agricultural Credits Act which authorizer the Corporation to make advances to any bank, banker or trust company in the United States which may have made advances for agricultural purposes, including the breeding, raising and marketing of live stock or may have discounted or rediscounted notes, drafts, bills of exchange or other negotiable instruments issued for such purpose. Agricultural loan agencies have been created in important agricultural districts and these agencies will be in charge of local committees composed of five representative bankers and business men. The members, of most of the committees already have been pointed, and their personnel and location will be announced as soon as acceptances are received.

Pilots' Head a Visitor

Captain William R. Boutwell, president of the Virginia Pilots' Association, was in Washington today on business before the several executive departments. Captain Boutwell is known throughout the State of Virginia as one of the most genial hosts in the Old Dominion. Not only has he and his Association entertained practically every prominent politician on board the fast sailing schooner operated by the Virginia pilots, but many Washington correspondents, also, have enjoyed these sails with those who are the most expert seamen in the world.

RITES FOR W. A. HENDERSON

The funeral of William Avery Henderson, who died Wednesday night, took place this afternoon from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Percy E. Clift 217 North Columbus street. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. E. V. Register, pastor of the M. E. Church South and burial was in the Presbyterian cemetery.

Pallbearers were James M. Duncan, George H. Evans, George E. Markell, E. L. Allen, Elmer Alexander and T. M. Jones.

The deceased was a son of the late William F. and India Henderson and besides his sister, Mrs. Clift, is survived by an aunt, Mrs. Annie S. Pierpoint.

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Wordsworth.

JAMES AND JAZZ

Honorable James M. Beck was at one time the attorney general of the United States. Naturally, one is led to suppose that he is possessed of ability out of the ordinary to have attained that distinguished position. It is with some degree of surprise, therefore, that we have read his recent jeremiad to the American Bar Association at its annual convention. He apparently sees all things through a glass darkly. He has painted a picture of the present time using murex for pigment. The woes of the world weigh heavily upon him and the burden is too much.

We take no especial exception to his lugubrious prognostications; but we must decidedly protest against his views as to jazz and syncopated music. We would rather he chose his metaphors from a sphere in which he was more at home. He mixes up jazz, syncopated music, and decadent art, pours them into his hissing cauldron, and stirs up a veritable witches' broth!

Now, James is all wrong! He must not attribute the present distresses of this world to either jazz, syncopated music, or decadent art. So far from being causes they are not even symptoms. Decadent art we will dismiss from consideration at once, because there is no such thing. Syncopated music is often used by the great masters and is spontaneous in nearly all the Latin countries. And so we come to jazz.

Jazz music, as now composed, made up, practised played or performed, is an outgrowth of those melodies which found their way to these shores from the mysterious depths of Darkest Africa and welled up in the hearts of the old-time plantation darkey. That music, which, when soft voices die, still vibrates in the memory! But there was another side to the slave-music; a rollicking, frolicking medley of tune, that could only come from a care-free and joyous people. A people in the childhood of their existence; with parental care and protection, and unconcerned with the skies of tomorrow.

The point we wish to make is, that jazz music is but a step in the evolution of the musical culture of a people. Better jazz music than no music. It begets an ear for music and fosters a taste for its enjoyment. It is bound to lead to a higher and better class of music, until our Americans are as musically cultivated as the Europeans who have been educated for centuries. A taste for the best music is a matter of evolution. It is like a taste for the best literature. Nor are we as a people much further on the literary road than on the musical. A million people read Harold Bell Wright today, for a hundred that read Thomas Hardy or Meredith.

On the whole then, Mr. Beck, the prevalence of jazz is a wholesome and encouraging sign. We are rather apprehensive that you are giving way to the gloomy views of an atrabilious temperament!

IN OTHER LANDS

(For The Gazette)

Fiji Islanders bleach their thick woolly hair with lime and wear it in a great mop.

To salute with the left hand is regarded as an insult by the Mohammedans.

In Tahiti serious crimes are punished by tattooing a mark upon the forehead of the delinquent.

The inhabitants of Jutland are believed to be the most genuine specimens of the old Danish stock.

Seville, Spain is said to have been the first European city to have a policewoman.

Vancouver B. C. is to have the largest telescope in the world. The lens will be ten feet in diameter.

Bradford England, is to start at once the erection of 200 dwellings, in an effort to revive the housing situation.

Liverpool owns one-third of the total shipping of the United Kingdom, and one-tenth of the total registered shipping of the world.

San Antonio is the name of a new port which has been under construction in Chile for five years and which is expected to become a formidable rival to Valparaiso as a shipping center.

The elaborate tattoo marks with which the Maori decorates his body indicate the tribe and family history of the wearer, and are, so to speak, his visiting card.

In the mountains of southern Arabia, a region of tremendous crags and precipices, lives a mysterious tribe of people who are entirely different from the Arabs. They are far lighter in color, and live in villages, not tents. They are said to be a relic of the Persian army which invaded the country nearly 1,000 years ago.

LONG DROUGHT ALLOWS FIRE TO DESTROY TOWN

Annapolis, Royal, N. S., Sept. 9.—The business section of this town was destroyed last night by fire, which raged unchecked because of lack of water, due to the prolonged drought.

Many dwelling houses were burned. Aid was summoned from Bridgeport by the Mayor.

BANKS WILL USE TUNNELS TO PREVENT HOLD-UPS OF MESSENGERS

Chicago, Sept. 9.—Tunnels connecting downtown banks with the Federal Reserve Bank are being planned here to prevent street hold ups of bank messengers, it was announced today.

The first to be constructed will connect the Illinois Trust and Savings, the Merchants' Loan and Trust and Corn Exchange National Bank, it was said.

Alexandria Epicures

YOU will find your idea of hospitality—and the kind of cooking that goes with it—at WALLIS' in Washington. Meet your fellow shoppers here at luncheon, or for dinner before theatre. Surroundings that give cheer to an outing, and a meal at modest price.

WALLIS'

12th and G Sts, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

UNCLE SAM

Bought only the best we sell the surplus at

Half Price or Less

Shoe Special

Officers new dress shoes in tan, black and cordovan, only $4.95

Work Shirts, khaki or heavy blue chambray, special 85c

Pants, khaki, $1.06, $1.45; Wool $1.50, $2.50, $3.95

Overalls with bib, each 95c

Underwear, balbriggan, each 40c

Men's handkerchiefs, good quality, 3 for 25c

Socks, cotton, 2 pair for 25c; Silk, pair 50c

Khaki belts 20

Lee unionalls, suit $2.75

Trunks, officers, 31 in. $5.95
Worth double

Ponchos, rain capes $1.50

Towels, each 15c, dozen $1.75

Army shoes, reclaimed, wear better than cheap new ones, fine for school boys $2.95

H. B. Cohen

631 KING STREET

Corner King and Washington Streets

Open evenings to 8 p. m., Saturdays to 10 p. m.

Boys' Suits

A higher than usual standard of both quality and style has been set by the new season's suits for boys.

Boy's corduroy suits for school, stylish and serviceable $9.98

Suits of stylish mixtures and serge, all sizes.

$12.50 - $18.50

Tub Frocks

Just the thing for the growing, active school girl, small, neat plaid and stripe dresses, sizes 6 to 14 years. Plain colors in ginghams and linene, priced $1.98 to

$3.50

Hosiery

Hosiery is something that must be provided often during the school year. Every boy and girl must have several pairs of good hose to begin the year right.

Misses' and children's school hose, in black, white and cordovan, 25c to 59c

Children's 3-4 hose in white, black and cordovan, a pair ..... 59c and 69c

Boy's heavy school hose pair ..... 39c and 50c

SCHOOL CLOTHES

in a Special Week-end Selling

SCHOOL days will soon be here and naturally all thoughts of the younger generations center on being ready to answer the summons of the school bell.

For the week-end selling we are catering especially to the youngsters and these values described below should bring every boy and girl in Alexandria here to be outfited.

GIRLS' COATS

More than commonly attractive they seem this season. Made of soft bolivias, polo cloths, broadcloths and wool velours with little velvet models all prettied up for dressy occasions, They're mostly flared effects, quite full and wrappy, and make her little serene highness look like a hugable Christmas doll, sizes 7 to 14

$9.98 to $25.00

Pretty Middie Dresses for the Little Miss

Middy dresses are the recognized leaders in school wear during these warm days. They are roomy and comfortable and give the youngster every opportunity to enjoy the play time. No school outfit is complete without several and they are easy to keep clean.

The sizes are 6 to 14 years and the colors are white, blue, green, pink and rose. Come in to see them tomorrow.

$12.50 to $18.50

SWEATERS--Every Child Needs One

Every boy or girl in Alexandria would be proud to own one of these sweaters on the opening day of school. And there is a sweater here to fit each one of them. These sweaters are in navy, brown, tan, rose, copenhagen blue and red, and they are priced for tomorrow $4.98 to $7.50

School Blouses

for both Boys and Girls

He is a proud little fellow, indeed, who starts to school in a pretty new blouse as an added attraction to his entire new outfit. And here can be found a showing of boy's blouses and shirts at 69c to $1.50 that cannot be duplicated.

Boy's shirts, mannish style ..... $100 and $1.50

RAINY DAYS

Be All prepared

Rainy days are sure to come shortly and it is best to have the little boys and girls protected from the elements.

Boy's rain coats ..... $4.98 to $10.00

Girls' rain capes ..... $4.98 to $6.50

Store Opens 8.30 A. M. Closes 6 P. M. Except Saturday

SWAN BROS

ALEXANDRIA'S LARGEST DEPARTMENT STORE

Ask us for estimates on your new WINDOW SHADES

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. Poter Young is quite sick at his home in South Pitt street.

Mr. S. Gerber, of the Men's Store, will return today from several days' outing in Atlantic City.

Miss Blanche Brown, of Leonardtown, Md., is visiting Miss Lillian Rambo, in Prince street.

Mr. William Chauncey has returned from a business trip to Baltimore.

There will be choir rehearsal tonight at 8 o'clock at the Methodist Protestant Church.

Miss Margaret Moncure has returned from a visit of several weeks to relatives in West Va.

Potomac Lodge No. 38, I. O. O. F., will tonight at 8 o'clock confer the initiatory degree on a class of candidates.

Councilman and Mrs. Claude W. Fletcher have returned from a motor trip to Strasburg, Va.

Owing to the work of organizing, the high school pupils who did not register today will not be admitted till Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Steiner, have returned after a motor trip to Braddock Heights, Pa., where they spent several weeks.

Mrs. James Wood who has been seriously ill for the past eight weeks at her home in Prince street, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Ezrine have returned to their home in King street, after spending several days in New York and Atlantic City.

Miss Lizabeth Covington, of Eastern Shore, is spending the week end with Miss Margaret Howard, in South Washington street.

Mrs. Keith Wade and Miss Virginia Wade, of Prince street, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. L. Richardson, in Lynchburg.

The regular monthly meeting of the American Legion will take place tonight in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Horace A. Mudd and family have returned from Westmoreland county, Va., where they spent the summer.

Mr. William McCuen left the earlier part of the week for New Haven, Conn., where he will be located with the United States Railroad Administration.

Mrs. John W. Travers accompanied by her daughter, Miss Margaret Travers, left Wednesday to spend the week with friends in Halethorpe, and Hillsdale, Md.

Mrs. George Newman, formerly of this city, but now of Orange, Va., who has been the guest for the past few weeks of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cook, in Queen street, has returned home.

First Lieut. James B. Patterson, U. S. A., who has been spending the past month with his mother, will leave this evening for Fort Riley, Kans., where he will attend the Officers' Cavalry Training School.

The Playgrounds Association desires some young lady over the age of 18 years, to come to the Queen street playgrounds to be instructed in the teaching of games and kindergarten work.

Mrs. Charles W. Nichols, Mrs. C. Conway Brawner, Conway, Jr., and little Charlotte Nichols Brawner, are spending the week end with Mrs. Nichols' sister, Mrs. Walter L. Simpson, at Purcellville, Va.

Mr. C. C. Lamond, Mrs. Lamond, and sons, Slater and Clyde, have returned to their home, in this city, after an extended motor tour, extending as far as Cleveland, O. They have been absent about a month.

Mr. George Louis Appich, and Mr. Carl William Appich, both of Richmond, Va., spent the week end and Labor Day with their brother in law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Stoler, at their home in Rosemont Avenue, Rosemont.

Mr. C. C. Lamond, president of the Board of Directors of the local Y. M. C. A., announces that the first fall meeting of that body will be held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms Tuesday evening, September 13th, at 8 o'clock.

The subscription dance planned for this evening at nine o'clock in the Elks' Auditorium, is expected to be a great success. Those who have heard Whalen's Orchestra of Washington, know what good music this five-piece orchestra can furnish.

The regular monthly meeting of the Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will be held tonight at 8 o'clock, at the church. All members are urged to be present, and especially the members of the Y. W. A., and the Girls' Auxiliary.

Frank B. Davis and Miss Annie May Belew, both of Del Ray, Va., were married Saturday afternoon, September 3rd, in Washington, D. C., by the Rev. T. E. Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Davis are making their home in Windsor Avenue, Del Ray.

There will be a prayer meeting tonight at the Anne Lee Memorial Home at 7:30 o'clock. The leader will be Mr. Nevell S. Greenaway, teacher of the Woman's Bible Class of the M. E. Church South. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mr. Kirk Earle Wallace, who has just returned from Norfolk and Willoughby Beach, reports that the Kiawnis Club of Norfolk along with the Kiwanis Clubs of Portsmouth and Newport News, are planning to entertain this District Kiwanis Club Convention in royal style. This District is made up of the Kiwanis Clubs of Virginia, Maryland, and the District of Columbia and the Convention will be held on September 30 and October 1. Many Alexandrians are expected to attend.

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Store Shopper"

At a meeting of our store employes a few days ago, the question was asked "How can we better serve our customers" and here is a suggestion made by one of our loyal and interested salespersons:

"To serve those who so often find it inconvenient to visit the store during special sales, appoint some one person to shop for the public; whose duty it shall be to give personal attention to all phone orders."

We thought that a splendid idea and have adopted it, so in the future, when there is something special advertised and you find it inconvenient to come in person, just CALL 63 and ask for "STORE SHOPPER" and you may be assured that we shall use our very best efforts to please you.

Yours to serve,

D. BENDHEIM & SONS, Inc.
Irvin Diener, Pres.

On The Sale List Tomorrow

Hosiery

There will be quite a stir in the hosiery section tomorrow. It will be almost as easy to purchase two pairs of hose now as it was to purchase one a few weeks ago. Hundreds of pairs of fine silk and lisle on sale tomorrow.

Full fashioned black silk hose, $2.25 values, special, pair $2.00

Pure thread silk hose in all the wanted shades, pair $1.39

Lisle hose in black, white and brown . 39c

Just received a shipment of Gold Stripe hose black and brown special, pair $2.00 and $2.75.

RIBBONS

We have just received a big shipment of beautiful wide light and dark ribbon, the kind usually sells at $1.00 a yard, special, yard

59c

GLOVES

Women's long chamoisette gloves in white and pongee special at a pair

$1.49

NECKLACES

One lot of new bead necklaces, all the new shades special tomorrow

59c

DID YOU SEE THE NEW HANDBAGS?

Of Oriental colorings and odd in design they have all the touch of Paris. We are showing quite a variety of beaded and velvet bags priced from

$8.98 to $25.00

Also a lot of patent leather pocketbooks, specially priced, each

49c

BOYS STOCKINGS

Boys' heavy ribbed hose, just the thing to start school, special, a pair

39c

Colored sateen in all shades, 39c values, sale price yd. 12½c

Crepe for kimonos all colors, very special tomorrow 5 yds. $1.00

September---

the most important shopping month in the year finds this store ready to help womendo "wonders" with the family budget.

Tomorrow's Profit Sharing Sale

WILL SHOW A STORE FULL OF NEW FALL MERCHANDISE CAREFULLY AND TASTEFULLY SELECTED AND TEMPTING BECAUSE PRICES ARE WHOLESOMELY REASONABLE.

Autumn Modes

are here in the INITIAL SHOWING

Tricotine is to be the season's best favorite for fall and winter wear.

It is a fabric that has gained steadily in popularity and has come to be one of the leaders.

Cool Autumn Evenings Call For

A Pretty Tricotine or Poiret Twill Frock

They are of the latest styles some plain while others are trimmed with the autumn's leading shades. We do not exaggerate when we say that they are especially attractive. For tomorrows' selling we have divided them into three great lots at

$19.95 $22.50 $25.00

Household Linens

at Tremendous Savings

Enduring value is the characteristic most to be desired in linens and it is generously present in these special offerings. Rarely will you find quality so satisfying, seldom will you find household linens so worthy of consideration available at such prices.

Table Linens

Table damask in 2 and 2 1-2 yd. lengths, greatly reduced. See front table. These are extraordinary values at prices quoted.

Bed Linens

Mohawk pillow cases, regularly sold for much more special 45c
Seamless sheets $1.00

White and red bordered towels, special, 5 for $1.00
Large Turkish towels, each 50c

Voile and dotted swiss waists, $2.98 value, special $1.98
New fall plaid skirts specially priced $7.98, $8.98, $9.98
New knitted slipover sweaters, in all shades, special $2.49
Remaining lot of silk dresses, specially priced at $19.95
All color heatherbloom satine petticoats, regular $2.98, special .. $1.49

Embroidery and lace trimmed gowns, $1.25 value, special $1.00

Ladies pink gauze vests, regular 49c, special ... 25c

Infants long dresses, special at 59c

Infants long flannelette petticoats, regular $1.00 seller, special 49c

Polly Prim aprons, specially priced at 49c

Bungalow aprons, special 98c

Cluny laces used for fancy work and pillow cases, special 15c

Light shades of charmeuse sold for $2.50, special a yard $1.25

White cotton poplin, regular 59c, special 29c
White Ripplette, special at yard 25c
All light shades of organdy regular 39c value, special yard 25c
Children's stamped ddesses and rompers, regular $1.00 special, each 79c
All embroidery art models to be greatly reduced, beautiful hand work.
Colgates cream, powders, brilliantine, tooth paste, etc., closing out price, eaen 29c
Kimona crepe special 5 yards for $1.00
Sateens in light shades, yard 12 1-2c

All Floor Lamps and Portables complete 25% OFF

NEW Fall Ginghams

Make Pretty School Frocks

Of course little girls can't go to school very long without needing some new wash frocks and here are the loveliest fall ginghams you can imagine from which to fashion clever dresses. You will be pleased with the splendid values at

25c 29c 39c

CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS

Children's plain and fancy socks, values up to 59c, special price 39c

Children's plain socks in white, brown and black, a pair .. 17c

When you think of Christmas you should think of our ART NEEDLEWORK DEPT.

All the new stamped pieces are here and for those who delight in giving an article of their own handiwork, we invite you to choose from our up-to-date department.

ALEXANDRIA'S BEST STORE

Bendheim's

INC.
IRVIN DIENER. Pres.

36 in. percale in black, blue and pink, sold for 39c, tomorrow, yard 15c

Fancy Scotch plaid in all bright colors for children's school dresses, 35c values, tomorrow, yard . 25c

HANDKERCHIEF SPECIAL

Women's linen handkerchiefs with initials, regular 50c values, special, 2 for

25c

LAUGHS

Speaker—"And in conclusion, I ask you to give to your utmost capacity to the sisters for the fund to buy alarm clocks to send out to Uganda to combat the frightful sleeping sickness which reigns there."—Karikaturen (Christiania).

Dr. Sun Yat Sen is by all odds the most interesting man in all China. In season and out of season he has stood for true democracy in China against conservatives and militarists, sometimes at the expense of his life—The Christian Century (Chicago.)

She (pensively)—"Before we married you declared you loved me at first sight!"

The Brute—"Well, I wish I'd been gifted with second!"—London Mail.

Those who are feeling deprest at the labor troubles through which we are passing would receive a good tonic if they took a walk through Whitechapel, for on the notice-board of a certain church there the following piece of anatomical pleasantry has been painted:

It is easier to smile than to frown!
To frown you use 64 muscles, but only 13 to smile.—London Morning Post.

The following missive was received by the forest ranger of the Pasadena district and read recently at the annual dinner of the Sierra Club in Los Angeles:

"Kind and Respected Cir:

"I see in the paper that a man named J—— S—— was atacted and et up by a bare whose cubs he was trying to git when the she bare came up and stopt him by eating him up in the mountains near your town. What i want to know is did it kill him or was he only partly et up and he from this place and all about the bare. I don't know but what he is a distant husband of mine. My first husband was of that name and I supposed he was killed in the war but the name of the man the bare et being the same i thought it might be him after all and i thought to know if he wasn't killed either in the war or by the bare for i have been married twice since and their ought to be divorce papers got out by him or me if the bare did not eat him all up. If it is him you will know it by him having six toes on the left foot. He also sings base and has a spread eagle tattoed on his front chest and a ankor on his right arm which you will know him if the bare did not eat up these parts of him. If alive don't tell him I am married to J—— W—— for he never liked J——. Mebbe you had better let on as if i am ded but find out all you can about him without him knowing anything what it is for. That is if the bare did not eat him all up. If it did i don't see you can do anything and you need'nt take any trouble. My respeks to your family and please ancer back

"P. S.—Was the bare killed. Also was he married again and did he leave any property worth me laying claim to?"

—Playwood Planets.

Cyclists Experience Similates Dime Novel Thriller

Roy Scott, World War Veteran, and John Hulman, motorcyclists of Montana, were the principals figuring in a spectacular experience recently, which for thrills robs the proverbial dime novel of all glory. With Scott at the handlebars of the sidecar outit, they plunged over Robbers Roost, a precipitous curve on the butte Meadows Road, and lodged on a rocky ledge some distance below. The motorcycle tumbled down for 200 feet more before it found a resting place. On the way down, Scott and Hulman cleared the machine and spun through the air turning loops and summersaults, before they landed. Neither suffered from the experience and the motorcycle is also reported to have come through unscathed. The story is verified by a number of witnesses

THE SQUARE PEGS

In all our urging of the farm boys to stay on the farm, we must not forget that some boys have talents for other work, and without their heart in farm work, will make a miserable failure at farming. So while it is most desirable to make home life on the farm pleasant and attractive to the young people, it is criminal to hold a boy to the farm when he has a talent for other work Had a certain boy with a craving for law, been held on the farm, our country might have been without the guiding hand and brain of Abraham Lincoln in those trying '60's. One must make sure that the boy has a fair opportunity to judge the appeal the farm makes, but if he has other talents, they are equally God given talents, and must not be buried. We have enough failures on the farm as it is.—Farm Life.

TEN BUILDINGS RAZED WHEN VILLAGE BURNS

Malone, N. Y., Sept. 9.—Fires destroyed the central section of the village of Bombay, 25 miles west of here on the St. Lawrence River, today causing a loss estimated at $150,000. The blaze is believed to have been incendiary.

PUMP CIDER TANKS DRY TO QUENCH VILLAGE FIRE

L'Orient, France, Sept. 9.—Hogsheads and tanks of cider pumped by firemen on burning buildings yesterday saved the village of Moustoir-Remungol from destruction. The fire already had destroyed eight houses and was communicating to other when the water supply became exhausted and the firemen requisitioned the cider and used it to check the conflagration.

WOMEN SAFER AND SANER CAR DRIVERS THAN MEN

Tampa, Fla., Sept. 9.—Woman again has scored in the controversy which began with the Adamic regime as to whether the male of the female is the superior sex.

Police-Sergeant A. Elton is the latest here to admit that the male is of the substrata. He particularized by declaring that as automobile drivers, women are safer saner and more obedient to traffic regulations, and cites court records for August as proof.

Of fifty accidents reported to him, women were held responsible for only two.

ILLINOIS MINERS AND GUARDS CLASH

Elizabethtown, Ill., Sept. 9.—Armed gaurds patrol all roads leading into this town and Rosiclare, ten miles away, as the result of the fighting between striking miners and mine guards.

More than 200 miners, who have been on strike at Rosiclare for ten months, are now living in tents in the ihlls. Reports that could not be confirmed here declare that mine guards burned the miners' tents in clashes today.

Last Week's Sales Bring Total To $1,457,846,000.

Washington, Sept. 9.—War materials sold by the War Department last week totaled $1,599,000, making a total revenue of $1,457,846,000 from sale of salvaged and surplus stock since the armistice.

ASPIRIN

Name "Bayer" on Genuine

Beware! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for twenty-one years and proved safe by millions. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago, and for Pain Handy tin boxes of twelve Bayer Tablets of Aspirin cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

In making the announcement today Secretary Weeks said about $2,000,000,000 worth of materials still were on hand, including $800,000,000 worth of ammunition. The materials already disposed of came from the Air Service.

TRAIN NAP COSTS WOMAN, 76 YEARS OLD, HER LIFE

Cumberland, Md., Sept. 9.—Taking a nap on the Pennsylvania Rail road here en route to Cumberland early yesterday afternoon, cost Mrs. Thomas K. Blackburn, 76 years old, her life. She intended to get off at New Paris, where she and her daughter have been keeping a hotel for years, and awakened just as the train was pulling out of Fishertown.

She asked some one where she was and on receiving the reply rushed from the car and jumped off, falling under the wheels.

ENDS LIFE AMID CHILDREN

Paris, Sept. 9.—Worry over approaching blindness, as well as his inability to maintain his family on the meager pension granted twenty years ago when he was retired from the Comedie Francaise, provided the crisis in the life drama of August Hemel, formerly the Comedie's ablest tragedian.

He brought the curtain down dramatically yesterday in the gardens near his home at Pontoise. While playing with some children he pulled a pistol from his pocket and sent a bullet into his brain. The children, thinking it was a new amusement he had created for them, shouted and applauded as he fell.

HOME DRESSED

Spring Chickens, a lb. 45c
Live Spring Chickens, a lb. 40c
Small Smoked Hams, best quality, a lb. 35c

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Save Your Old Clothes For Another Season

Pehhaps you have an old Suit, Wrap or Gown stored away in your cedar chest and having looked over it once decided to discard it.

You're making a mistake if you do. Let us send for and look them over, whether they're dainty dresses, heavy coats, fabric hats, furs, rugs, draperies, curtains or other house furnishings, whether they need cleaning, dyeing, repairing or pleating, and we'll tellyou frankly whether or not they are good for another season's service.
Bear in mind that the best work is never done in the greatest haste. Anticipate your needs—phone, write, or send them by parcel post today.

Our prices are as low as good work can be done at.

We've restored many a garment that was ready for the rag pile—in fact have brought it back to its original newness.

Let us do the same for you.

Alexandria Cleaners & Dyers
712 King St. Phone 1067.

THE ART of a thing is first its aim and next its manner of accomplishment.
—From "Summaries of Thought."

ART

We are likely, on first thought to consider an artist as only one who paints a landscape or draws a sketch. On deeper consideration we realize the error of this impression—there is also art in industry.

There is art in Printing as well as an art of painting and an art of writing. As all artists are not necessarily good artists so in printing—all printers do not necessarily employ art in their work.

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FRESH VEGETABLES A FULL LINE

The Store of Personal Service
Big Week End Bargain Sale

Complete line best food products. Also up-to-date fresh meat department handle only the best meats. We give you a few prices:

OUR FAMOUS WINCHESTER BUTTER, fresh from the churn every day, lb. 47c
No Butter on the market equals Winchester. Ask those who use it.
STRICTLY FRESH LAID EGGS ..... Every one guaranteed 47c
WHITE POTATOES, ONE PECK 48c
OUR FAMOUS BANQUET COFFEE. Its fresh roasted and ground daily, good to the last drop, pound 27c

Meats

Star Brand Hams 36c
Smoked Shoulders 17c
Fresh Leg Lamps 32c
Dry Salt Bellies 16c

Cheese 26c
Pure Lard 15c
1 lb. Pkg. Sunmaid Raisins 24c
Rumford Baking Powder, 1 lb. can 28c
Tuna Fish, 1-2 lb. can 25c
White Meat

Wax Paper, 3 rolls for .. 10c
Jelly tumbler 10c
1 lb can Preserves assorted Flavors 28c
Del Monte Brand Apricots 33c

UNEEDAS, 4 for 25c

FLOUR
6 lb. bag 30c
12 lb. bag 55c
24 lb. bag $1.05
Baker's Pride
Fresh Leg of Lambs 32c

A full line National Biscuit Co's Cakes and Crackers, package 7c and 13c

NEWS IN THE GAZETTE 108 Years Ago

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE
Commercial and Political

THURSDAY, SEPT. 9, 1813.

Humiliation and Prayer

This day being recommended by the President of the United States to be observed as a day of Humiliation and Prayer, no paper will be issued from this Office till Saturday morning.

Terrible Tornado!

Accounts have been received of a terrible tornado having wrecked half the town of Nassau, New Providence, and ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY SAIL OF VESSELS. The gale happened on the 26th July. 176 homes and 130 vessels were destroyed besides all the privateers in port and much Spanish property. The water for many miles from the Bar was as red as blood.

FOR SALE

On Wednesday, the 15th instant, at 12 o'clock, on the premises, the WHARF at the end of Prince Street, lately Elisha Janney's.

RICHARD M. SCOTT.
Trustee of Elisha Janney.

SPORTS

Standing Of The Clubs

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results

Philadelphia, 6; Ney York, 5.
Detroit, 15; Cleveland, 1.
St. Louis, 4; Chicago, 3.

Today's Games

Boston at Washington.
Detroit at Chicago.
Cleveland at St. Louis.
New York at Philadelphia.

Standing of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pc.
New York	82	49	.634
Cleveland	82	51	.624
St. Louis	70	65	.519
Washington	66	68	.495
Boston	62	66	.484
Detroit	64	72	.471
Chicago	56	77	.421
Philadelphia	47	81	.367

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results

Philadelphia, 8—2; Boston, 6—13
Chicago, 6; Cincinnati, 2.

Today's Games

Chicago at Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia at Boston.
Brooklyn at New York.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.

Standing of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pc.
Pittsburgh	80	51	.611
New York	82	54	.603
St. Louis	75	59	.560
Boston	72	64	.529
Brooklyn	69	64	.519
Cincinnati	60	74	.448
Chicago	52	82	.388
Philadelphia	46	90	.338

Sunday at 3 o'clock, the Dreadnaughts will play the Shamrocks from Washington. This team has been organized three years and this will be its first appearance in Alexandria. It is undoubtedly the fastest team that has ever represented the Southeast section of Washington. They have a large following and will no doubt bring a big crowd of fans with them. They were winners of the championship in Section B of the Independent Series in Washington, and are now playing for the Class A Championship of the city. They have in Langan and Humphries two very good pitchers and they should make the D's go to the limit to win.

Frye and Alexander will work for the D's with Stevens doing the receiving. It should prove to be the best game of the season, so tell your friends and help to fill the park, as we expect a large crowd, and the ealy ones will get the seats.

Saturday at 4 p. m., the Dreadnaughts will line up against the strong Bay State A. C., base ball team. This team came here with a fast club, having defeated several fast going nines and who recently challenge the Big D's, same being accepted by the Dreadnaughts Manager.

The following men of the Virginia Athletic Club will report for football practice Sunday, at 10 a. m., on the Shipyard field: Coach Nalls, Alexander, Shaffer, Owens, L. Peyton, T. Peyton, McKenny, Beach, Wicker, Corsa, Yates, H. Poss, Howard, Nugent, Rowan, Hoy, Hodges, Duncan Conroy, and Sampson. These men and all other candidates deserving to make the team are urged to be present as an important meeting will be held on the field for the purpose of electing captain and manager.

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STATE NEWS

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modern lighting system. Dangerous pitfalls have been made safe and yet the natural charm and mystery of the subterranean grottoes is unmarred.

Wytheville,—Delegates from the counties of Brand and Giles, in a convention held at Bland Court House last Saturday, A. E. Shumate, of Giles, presiding, nominated Attorney M. F. Farrier, of Pearisburg, Giles County, as Democratic nominee to represent the two counties in the House of Delegates of the Virginia General Assembly. It is thought he will have no opposition.

Norfolk—Enoch D. Ferebee, of Virginia Beach, yesterday met instant death when his head was cut in twain by a mill saw. Ferebee was standing under the wood-cutting shed when the saw broke from its fastenings without warning and struck him with fatal results.

Danville—Motorists who went out on the Chatham pike last night, reported today seeing a rare phenomenon, a lunar rainbow, which arched the horizon during a brief shower of rain. The prismatic hues were not seen, but the rainbow was whitish in color and was plainly visible for several minutes.

Norfolk—Wednesday was "Governor's Day" at the Norfolk Fair. Accompanied by a committee of twenty prominent citizens, Governor Davis went to the fair grounds at noon and was cheered by thousands who were already within the enclosure. He made no speech, but spent the entire afternoon in watching the amusements and inspecting the various exhibits.

Lexington—The eighty-third session at the Virginia Military Institute began yesterday with the largest enrolment in its history. Old cadets have been returning and new ones matriculating since Monday, when the entrance examinations started. Classes formed yesterday and the academic and military routine began. On Saturday at noon the convocation will take place in the chapel of the Jackson Memorial Hall. Gen. E. W. Nicholas, superintendent, will address the faculty and cadets.

Wytheville—Ex-Governor Henry C. Stuart, addressing the farmers of Wythe County at their annual picnic held at Fort Chiswell yesterday, under the auspices of the Wythe County Farm Bureau, advised them to organize if they would reap a fair reward of their toil. As on former occasions here, he expressed sentiments opposed to the holdings of Anglo-Saxon "sweat" cheap. He declared that the farmers are the only set of industrial people in America, it is said, who are without an organization for their own protection.

Bristol—Police Justice Bolling H. Handy, since occupying the bench in the Bristol, Va., police court several days ago, has gone on record as being in favor of rigid enforcement of the prohibition law, as well as the traffic ordinance. Developments in police court during the past few days bear out the assertion that the man who comes before Judge Handy on a charge of bootlegging or transporting whiskey will get a stiff sentence.

Richmond—Following a conference between State Chairman Hal D. Flood and other democratic party leaders here late yesterday as to plans for the campaign this fall, it was stated that Senator Lee Trinkle, nominee for governor, would fire the opening gun about the middle of this month, the exact time and place to be announced later.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stockholders and directors of the Harris & Shafer Company will be held at the office of Mr. Gardner L. Boothe, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, on Thursday, September 29th, 1921, at two thirty (2:30 P. M.)

By order of the President,
E. Allen Harris, Secretary.
215-18c

Spiritulism to Be Exposed at St. Joseph's School, Columbus and Wythe Streets, By Kinsberg, the World Known Magician, Tuesday, September 13.

No subject at the present time has aroused more intense curiosity than Spiritualism.

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DIED

James Murray departed this life Thursday, September 8, 1921, at 5 o'clock p. m., born in Prince William County, Va. He was a soldier in the civil war and spent many years on a tug boat. Later he ran stationery engine about 15 years at the Orphan Asylum, Washington, D. C. He was a well known citizen of Alexandria, Va. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, Mrs. Matilda J. Murray, a step daughter, Miss Ethel D. Thompson, six sisters and a host of friends. Funeral will take place Sunday, September 11, 1921, at 2 o'clock p. m., from the Second Baptist Church. Remains will rest in Soldiers' cemetery.

Master Frank Entwisle of Kingsport, Tenn., spent the week end with Master William Entwisle, at his home in North Royal street.

Miss Gertrude Entwisle, of Kingsport, Tenn., is the guest of Miss Ida Entwisle at her home in South Alfred street.

There will be a service for young boys tonight at 7:30 at the Young People's Building in the auditorium.

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Lake Placid, N. Y. Sept. 9.—Police of the principal Adirondack villages are co operating with the police of New York, Albany and other cities to the South and Malone, Platts burg and Montreal to the north in a hunt for the burglar who, early last Friday morning, entered the Upper Saranac Lake camp of Mrs. Isaac N. Seligman, of New York and made good his escape, after robbing her and her camp guest, Mrs. Adolph S. Lewisohn widow of New York's copper king," of jewelry valued at approximately $10,000.

NORWEGIAN HOUSE FOR 14 P. C. PROHIBITION

Christiania, Sept. 9.—The lower House of Parliament here last night adopted the Prohibition bill, which forbids the importation of liquors or wines containing more than 14 per cent. of alcohol.

The bill now goes to the upper house, where it is expected to be approved.

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County Vacation Schools

Richmond, Sept. 9.—The State Board of Education has for the past four years been encouraging vacatio nschools in inaccessile sections of the Commonwealth where it has been difficult to maintain regular schools. Under the plan adopted the State Board makes contribution to the salary of the teacher and assists the local superintendent in supervising the conduct of those schools. The development of this work has been in a few counties particularly encouraging.

In Buchanan in Southwest Virginia the term of the vacation schools has just closed. Twenty-one different schools were operated in this county, the morning session being devoted to children of school age, and the evening classes and special classes to illiterate adults. In this county alone there were 860 upils tending vacation schools during the summer months. In evening classes there were enrolled and regularly instructed 293 men over twenty one years of age, and 239 women, making a total of 532 adults.

The Department has received through Mr. M. L. Combs, the Division Superintendent of Buchanan County, a number of leters expressing high appreciation of the work done. There is one letter from a lady 72 years of age who states that when she entered the vacation school she could not make a letter, but that her progress was so satisfactory, that now she can write letters to her friends. She has great satisfaction in her newfound capacity to write letters. In one case a vacation school was founded at a point where several of the local me nasserted no attendance could be secured. Through the unusual diligence of the teacher a large enrollment, ranging in age from 5 to 70, were soon gathered at the school. Some of the adults could neither read nor write, but at the end of this six weeks' session most of them were able to write a tolerably eligible hand, and could make some headway in readers of the second and third grade. Many of these adults walked over three miles at night after working hard all day, in order to attend the evening school

In many instances, the teachers of these schools visited the homes of the patrons, and in every way encouraged them to improve their mental and social standing. There is evidence that the vacation school served as a fine incentive to improve not only the educational but the general social situation in the community.

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You know, even if the public generally does not know, that the student of dentistry must learn just as the student of medicine learns at College, anatomy, histology, embryology, paysiology, bacteriology, pathology, physical, diagnosis radiology, and the principles of surgery.

Dr. Alderman, when he says that in time a dental school may be established at Charlottesville, admits that the dental school is not a hope of the immediate future. Consequently, if quality of education which they need to fit them properly to attend the people of the State, it will be compelled either to combine the medical colleges in Richmond or to teach medicine at Charlotesvile and denistry in Richmond.

If the former alterantive is accepted, denistry as well as medicine will be benefitted. If the latter is the will of the Legislature of Virginia, there will again be alternatives to consider.

The first of these alternatives is that medicine being taught at Charlottesville and dentistry at Richmond, the studies above mentioned will have to be taught at each place and there will be an uneconomical duplication of teaching costs. The other alternative, and by far the more likely, is that the State's dental school will either lapse into insignificance and ultimately die or that dentistry will be taught in Richmond at a medical school entirely disassociated from the medical department of the University of Virginia, which would mean that this important branch or specialty of medicine would not be helped by the State, and would not have the dignity and importance to which it is justly entitled.

It is not a matter of pride merely that makes us, dentists, take such a serious interest in this controversy. We are convinced that for a time at least, and possibly permanently, dental education in Virginia will suffer if the State's medical school goes to Charlottesville; and this would be a distinct misfortune.

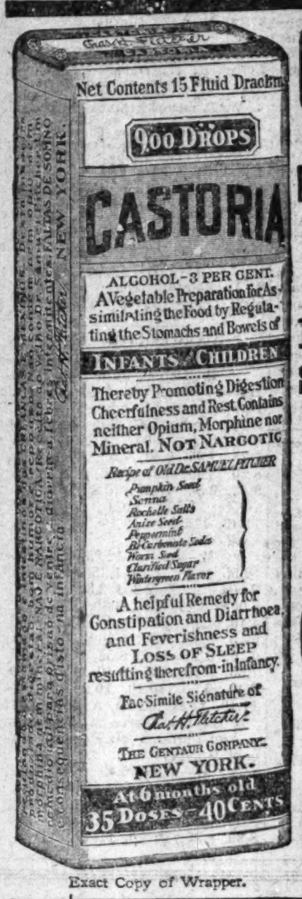
There are only nineteen class A dental schools in the United States and the Richmond school is one of them. Through association with a class A medical college it is now costing the State comparatively little money to maintain this distinction and it is of incalculable value to the people of Virginia that its dentists should have the quality of training that can be given only by a dental school of the highest class.

If an adequate dental school should be attempted as a separate institution disassociated from the medical college or operated in another city it would cost Virginia virtually half the present expenditures for medicine, dentistry and pharmacy.

It is our firm conviction that such education cannot be imparted at Charlottesville even in the remote future which Dr. Alderman seems to think possible, and we therefore ask you, as a loyal member of your profession, to place this side of the controversy before your friends and neighbors whose interests and the interests of their children are at stake.

Very truly yours,
M. B. RUDD.

P. S. There will be mailed to you this week two copies of a bulletin which contains important information One copy is for you, the other—we hope you will take to your legislative representative and discuss with him the responsibility which rests upon him in deciding for the well being of dentistry in Virginia.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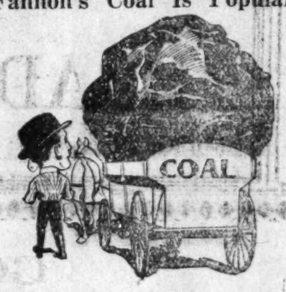

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THE ETIOLOGY OF PELLAGARA

The recent unfavorable advertising that the South has had, occastoned by the belief on the part of some that Pellagra is due solely to a deficiency diet, and that because the price of cotton is low there must be general starvation, and therefore an increase of pellagra in the Southern states, makes it appear timely to discuss the etiology of this important disease. Since pellagra was first described, perhaps because the gastro-intestinal symptoms are usually pronounced, food of one kind or another, or the lack of various constituents in food, have been considered as the most probable etiological factors.

The Italians having had a large experience with pellagra have contributed most to the literature on the subject. Lombroso's theory that it is due to some unknown factor in maize is still regarded by the Italians as the most probable cause. Coni's view that pellagra is caused by a toxin generated in an aspergillum which grows on maize that has not been dried thoroughly, is believed by some. In 1914 Alessandrini promulgated the theory that pellagra results from a deficiency diet, silicon being the constituent which he believed to be absent in the food of pellagrins. Sambon's simulium reptans theory is not accepted by many Italians.

In the United States investigations have been made that led to a marked divergence of opinion regarding the pathogenesis of pellagra. The Thompson-McFadden Commission, headed by Siler, after very thorough studies became convinced that pellagra is due to some infection connected with sewage, and in a number of localities after improvements in the sewerage the disease decreased or disappeared. The late Isadore Dyer, Dean of Tulane Medical School, New Orleans, had the conviction that sewage disposal had something to do with pellagra. He often made the statement that he had "never seen a case of pellagra which developed in a city that was well sewered."

Francis, and his associates in the U. S. Public Health Service, made some thorough studies in the effort to transmit pellagra to monkeys and human beings; and they came to the conclusion that pellagra cannot be transmitted directly from one person to another.

GOLDBERGER'S THEORY

In 1908 Deeks, on the Canal Zone, anounced his belief that pellagra is a nutritional disease resulting from a diet excessive in cane sugar and other carbohydrates. In 1914 Goldberger, of the U. S. Public Health Service, made some experiments on Mississippi convicts who developed pellagra, or at least symptoms closely akin to the disease, after having been fed on a low protein, and an excessive carbohydrate, diet. He then announced that pellagra is due to an "unbalanced" diet. Due to very clever propaganda Goldberger's theory has been accepted by many physicians. Many others, however, both before and after Goldberger's theory was announced, believed that malnutrition is an important predisposing factor in the production of pellagra, as it is in tuberculosis; and that the primary cause is probably a gastro-intestinal infection of some kind.

Since so much has been said about Goldberger's experiments, which by the way have not been verified by others, they should be repeated by an expert on nutrition like MacCollum, collaborating with bacteriologists and epidemiologists to prevent possible infection. It has been pointed out by those who do not believe in Goldberger's theory that his experiments were carried out in the state in which pellagra was most prevalent; and that those on whom the experiments were made may have been infected by some organism in the food, or, the infection may have been carried by an insect. They therefore believe that before Goldberger's theory is accepted his experiments should be carried out during the winter months in Maine or Nort hDakota or in some other state in which there is no pellagra.

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At a Special Term of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria continued and held at the Courthouse of said City on Thursday, July 21, 1921.

Present: Hon. Samuel G. Brent, Judge.

In the Matter of the Petition of the Electors of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, for the Change in the Form of Government for said City under the Provisions of the Code of Virginia of 1919 and the Acts of the General Assembly of Virginia Amendatory thereof.

This 21st day of July, 1921, came the petitioners and presented petitions prepared and executed in due form of law of electors of the City of Alexandria, equal in number to at least 10 per cent of those qualified to vote at the last general election held in said city at which a mayor or council was elected, and specifying in said petition the particular form of government permitted under the provisions of the Code of Virginia, 1919, and the Acts of the General Assembly of Virginia, amendatory thereof, to wit: "City Manager Plan," which form of government they wish to adopt, including a Council to be composed of five councilmen, to be elected at large and to serve with compensation, and asking that an election be held on the 4th day of October, 1921, as provided by the Code of Virginia, 1919, and the Acts of the General Assembly of Virginia amendatory thereof; and said petition being in all respects in conformity with the provisions of the Code of Virginia of 1919, and the Acts of the General Assembly amendatory thereof; it is ordered that Windsor W. Demaine, R. E. Sweeney and Frank E. Moore, or their successors in office composing the Electoral Board of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, be and they are hereby directed to take such steps and prepare such means as may be necessary to submit to the qualified voters of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, at an election which said Electoral Board is hereby ordered and directed to hold on the 4th day of Ocotber, 1921, for the determination of the quesiton whether said proposed change in the form of government for the City of Alexandria shall be adopted or not; and that said election shall be conducted in the manner prescribed by law for the conduct of regular elections by the regular election officers of said city.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, for at least 30 days prior to said election, and said Electoral Board is further directed to give all the due publicity to said election that under the law they are required to give of regular elections.

And the Clerk of this Court is directed to transmit a copy of this order to each member of the Electoral Board of the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

A TRUE COPY.
TESTE:
NEVELLE S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

In pursuance of the annexed order of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, entered July 21, 1921, notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the city of Alexandria, on Tuesday, the 4th day of October 1921, for the purpose in said order set forth, and that the said election will be conducted in the manner prescribed by law, for the conduct of regular elections and by the regular election officers of said city.

WINDSOR W. DEMAINE,
Chairman.
R. E. SWEENEY,
F. D. MOORE,
Electoral Board of the City of Alexandria, Virginia.
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SPECIAL NOTICES

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Braddock Light and Power Company, Incorporated, for the election of directors and the transaction of such business as may properly come before said meeting, will be held at the office of the company, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, Tuesday, September 20, 1921, at 1:00 p. m.
214-10c. S. R. Bowen, Secretary.

KING'S DAUGHTERS' SUPPER

The Mount Vernon Circle of King Daughters, will hold a supper at Sherwood Hall, four miles south of Alexandria, on the dirt road, Saturday, September 10th, from 6 to 9 p. m. Supper 50 cents. 214-2p

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3.07 p. m. ...	(Local) ...	8.09 a. m.
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3.32 p. m. ..	(A. C. L.) ..	3.10 p. m.
	Washington-Atlanta-Birmingham	
5.17 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	12 noon
	Washington-Richmond	
5.27 p. m.	(Local)	*8.52 p. m.
	New York-Tampa-St. Petersburg	
8.17 p. m. ..	(S. A. L.) ..	8.28 a. m.
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ERIN MAY ACCEPT CALL

(Continued from page one)

Gairloch, where he will continue his holiday. Lord Fitzalan left for Ireland yesterday morning, General Tudor yesterday afternoon, General MacReady went with the Prime Minister to Gairloch and Sir Hamar Greenwood went to another part of Scotland for a holiday.

Mr. Lloyd George yesterday sent a reply to a telegram from the president of the Trade Union Congress, which is now meeting in Cardiff, urging peace in Ireland, saying that the Government is as opposed as anyone to civil war in Ireland, but it could not admit separation and quoting Lincoln again as an authority for resisting secession.

It was pointed out here yesterday afternon that the Government's reply is an independent advance toward the Irish position which is understood to be unaverse to a repeal of "the opinion," leaving Great Britain and Ireland a duel monarchy with independent governments, but under one crown. For this reason the Prime Minister stresses allegiance to the Crown as one essential and drops insistence on other conditions, such as military occupation in Ireland, etc., leaving them for discussion at the conference.

According to authoritative information, this is the Government's last word. The only condition now insisted on is allegiance to the British Crown and it is impossible to depart from that.

Dublin, Sept. 9.—Premier Lloyd George's reply to deValera has made a good impression here and its tone confirms the theory that he personally and sincerely desires peace. King George also is known to have urged him to avoid sabre rattling in his communication to the Irish leader.

LIVE NEWS

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Mr. W. U. Varney and son, Walter, Jr., have returned home to Del Ray from their motor trip and vacation at Luray, Va.

Corporal Robert C. Yates, of Del Ray, left Wednesday for Lexington, Va., where he will resume his studies at V. M. I.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nestor and family, have enjoyed a months' visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hatton on Braddock Avenue, St. Elmo, and returned on Wednesday to their home in New York City with many pleasant memories of their visit. Other recent guests of Mr. Hatton's household were Mr. C. Hugurth and Mr. J. Newcome of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, who have been motoring through Maryland and Virginia, stopping in St. Elmo over Labor Day, after which they returned to New York City.

Mr. George Rowzie has returned to Del Ray after a vacation spent with his mother in his old home in Loudoun county.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Ford and little daughter, have returned to their home in Rosemont after a delightful round of visits and pleasure trips, teh last of which was at Ocean City, Md.

Rev. G. A. Luttrell, of Rectortown, Md., with his daughters, Virginia, Margaret and Harriett, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George N. Cradlin, in Rosemont, on Tuesday of this week. Rev. Mr. Luttrell has many friends in this vicinity, having been for seven years teh pastor of Trinity M. E. Church in Alexandria a few years ago.

Mrs. Sam Vaughn, with her three children, left George Washington Park Tuesday morning for a visit of several weeks among relatives in Greenville, N. C.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Lannings and daughter, with Mrs. Coe and son, constitute the house party of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. File in Del Ray, over the last week end. Miss Mildred Rhea who has been visiting Mrs. File for some time returned this past Tuesday to her home in Indian Head, Md.

Mr. William Cowardin, of Richmond, was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fletcher Driscoll, on Lloyd Avenue, Del Ray.

Mrs. Alexander Clark, of Del Ray, is on her way to a visit of several months in her antive town of Glasgow, Scotland, where she will visit her mother and other relatives. Mrs. Clark left Del Ray last night, and is sailing on the S. S. Columbia, of the Cunard Anchor line, leaving New York on the 10 instant.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harding and family, with Mr. and Mrs. J. Cassidy and family, of Del Ray, motored to Chapel Point, Md., where they enjoyed the week end and holiday with the good sport of which Chapel Point is famous.

Mr. and Mrs. David Glascock moved from Braddock last week and are now living in Richmond, Va., on account of Mr. Glascock's work.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wilkinson and family, of Del Ray, motored to Chincoteague Island, Va., where they are spending this week with Mrs. Wilkinson's mother, Mrs. Betty Nalls.

Miss Mary Barbour returned to her home in Del Ray, after taking a special course at Harrisonburg Normal, preparatory to teaching.

Mr. Lawrence Rowzie, of Taylorstown, Va., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. E. D. File, in Del Ray.

Mrs. Stella Baughns with her son and daughter, James and Audrey, from Richmond, Va., are guests of Mrs. J. F. Driscoll, this week at her home in Del Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Brooks, of Del Ray, with Mrs. Will White, and son of Washington, are spending the week near Harrisonburg, Va., as guests of Mrs. Mollie West.

Miss Hattie V. De Coss has returned to her home with Mrs. Clarence S. Haley, in St. Elmo, also Mrs. Haley's sister, Miss Kathleen Howard, has moved from her place in Washington and will make her home with Mrs. Haley for a while.

The Del Ray Methodist Episcopal Church has a new carpet which was laid by the firm of Michelbach in Alexandria one day this week, and very recently a new coat of paint was applied to the roof of the chruch by Mr. J. C. Hildebrand, assisted by Thomas Pence and William Bathorn, all of whom donated their services. When the weather is cooler the rest of the exterior will be repainted and made attractive.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Young and small son, while returning from Massachusetts to their home in St. Elmo, met with an accident near Addison, when another car ran across the road directly in front of the car they were in, so that in order to avoid killing the driver of the car, Mr. Young was obliged to run the car he was driving, into the support of a telegraph pole, which slightly damaged the car, but fortunately the occupants escaped with a few cuts and bruises.

Mr. Howard Hildebrand, from Hazelton, Pa., is the guest of his uncle, Mr. J. C. Hildebrand, in St. Elmo.

Young Roderick Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Adams, of St. Elmo, was operated on by Doctors Dillard and Yates, at the Alexandria Hospital on Wednesday. His tonsils and adenoids were removed and he is fast getting well at his home in St. Elmo.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kidwell with their daughters, Gertrude and Willie, motored to Warrenton, Va., and spent several days recently.

Misses Edith Garrett, of St. Elmo, Louise Adams, from Rosemont, and Maida Fester, of Washington, with Mr. and Mrs. Trotter, also of Washington, were at Orkney Springs, Va., for a week recently.

Workmen are engaged in repairs to the public school on Mount Vernon Avenue in Del Ray, and expect to have it ready for the opening session on the 19th, which will be a week from next Monday, although the Alexandria and Washington Schools will open for the school term this next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Garrett and Miss Edith Garrett, of St. Elmo, with Miss Alice Snuffer, from Washington, made a trip to Braddock Heights, Md., by auto and spent the day last Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. West, of Del Ray, is in Richmond, visiting her mother for a few days.

Mr. Jack Kappell, of Del Ray, is visiting his mother, in Pittsburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Butler are the proud parents of a fine big boy, weighing over 14 pounds and their eleventh child by the way.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brooks, have returned to Del Ray, from a visit to relatives in Richmond, Va.

Miss Mary Barbour entertained a delightful little dance last night, in her home in Del Ray. The host of young people in attendance were from Washington, Alexandria, Braddock, Del Ray and St. Elmo.

MILDRED L. EMERSON,
Gazette Correspondent,
Phone 76-J 2.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Building Company for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year will be held at its office, 119 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on Monday, September 19th, 1921, at 11 o'clock A. M.

M. M. Parker, President.
Louis Beyer, Jr., Secretary.

213-12c.

Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Howard Lumber Company, Inc., will be held at its principal office, 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock a. m., on the 6th day of September, 1921, at which time officers and directors will be elected, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

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TRUCK	445	495	50
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SEDAN	660	760	100

"This is the third price cut during the past twelve mo nths. On September 22, 1920, the price of the Ford touring car was reduced from $575 to $440; June 7th to $415, and now to $355, making total reduction in this type of $220, or 38 per cent. The same proportionate reductions have be en made in all other types. One year ago the price of the Ford sedan was $975; today it sells at 560 with the same equipment.

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